

REMARKS

The proposed corrections are in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, mailed March 31, 2004. The attached fifteen (15) sheets of drawings include changes to Figs. 3A – 3C, 7A – 7K, and 8A – AF. Each figure is labeled “Figure” with a consecutive Arabic numeral and capital letter in the English alphabet. The first of the Figures labeled “Figure 7e” has been corrected to “Figure 7D”.

Replacement drawings are appended hereto.

It is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the application is respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner believe that further amendments are necessary to place the application in condition for allowance, or if the Examiner believes that a personal interview would be advantageous in order to more expeditiously resolve any remaining issues, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicant’s undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

To the extent necessary, Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with this application, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-1165

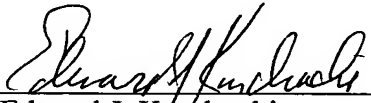
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(Attorney Docket No. T2147-908626) and credit any excess fees to the same Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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